

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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GROWTH IN PASSENGER TRAFFIC OF IA AND AI
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the percentage of growth noticed in passenger traffic of IA and AI during each of the last three years;
- (b) whether the targets set for 2004-05 have been achieved;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Union Government to achieve the targets in future?

Answer

- MINISTER OF STATE(INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION(SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a):- During the last three years, the percentage growth in passenger traffic of Indian Airlines and Air India is as under:-

Year	Air India	Indian Airlines
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2002	2.65%	-4.21%
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2003	3.00%	9.47%
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2004	20.07%	21.00%
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(b) and (c):- The revenue targets set for 2004-05 have been achieved.

(d):- Government renders all required support to the airlines for them to achieve the targets.